

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
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DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION AND LITERACY**

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 59  
ANSWERED ON 25.11.2024**

**NEW KENDRIYA VIDYALAYAS IN CHHATTISGARH AND ASSAM**

†59 **SHRI RADHESHYAM RATHIYA:  
MD. RAKIBUL HUSSAIN:**

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to establish new Kendriya Vidyalaya (KV) at Tamnar, Gharghoda and nearby villages in Raigarh Lok Sabha Constituency of Chhattisgarh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) the total number of KVs currently operational in the State of Assam; and
- (d) whether the Government has any plans to establish a new KV in the Dhubri district, Assam and if so, the time by which it is established?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)**

(a) to (d) Opening of new Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) is a continuous process. KVs are opened primarily to cater to the educational needs of the wards of transferable Central Government Employees including Defence & Para-military personnel, Central Autonomous Bodies, Central Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) and Central Institute of Higher Learning (IHL) by providing a common programme of education throughout the country. Proposals for opening of new KVs may be sponsored by Ministries or Departments of the Government of India / State Governments / Union Territories (UTs) Administrations, with commitment to provide requisite resources including land and temporary accommodation for setting up a new KV as per norms. The proposals received from the sponsoring authorities for opening of new KVs are examined / processed at various levels and are subject to approval of the competent authority as per extant procedure.

As per information received from Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS), no proposal for opening of new KV at Tamnar, Gharghoda and nearby villages in Raigarh Lok Sabha Constituency of Chhattisgarh and Dhubri district of Assam have been received by KVS from the concerned State Governments/district administrations.

At present, 1253 KVs are functioning across the country including 36 KVs and 57 KVs in the State of Chhattisgarh and Assam respectively. Out of 36 KVs in Chhattisgarh, 02 KVs namely KV Jashpur and KV Raigarh are functioning in the Raigarh Lok Sabha Constituency and out of 57 KVs in Assam, 01 KV namely KV BSF Panbari is functioning in the Dhubri district.

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